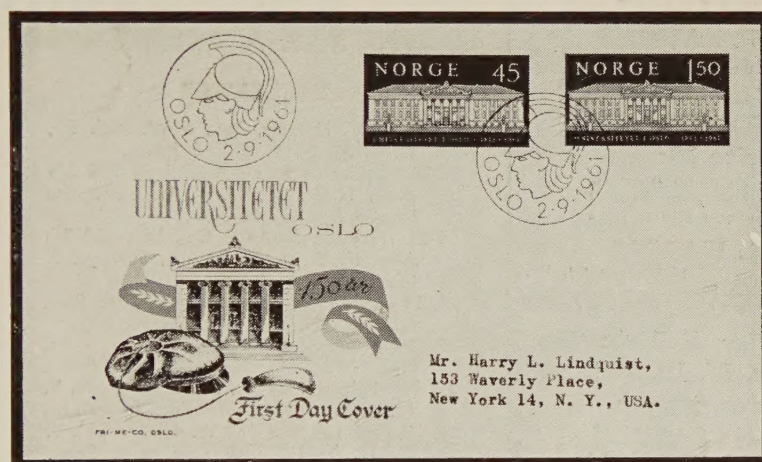


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Homan Receives People to People Hobbies Committee Citation

A few weeks the Chairman of the *People-to-People Hobbies Committee, Inc.*, has been giving citations for "Outstanding Contributions to International Philately" to members of the Committee who have given exceptional service. On his travels to the various countries where the citations were presented he has been accompanied by Bill Homan, official photographer of the People-to-People Hobbies Committee. We have mentioned in previous issues of STAMPS others in the philatelic field who have received citations, and now we present the photographer himself, Bill Homan. In addition to taking all the other duties of committee members receiving citations, Bill took this one for himself with the use of mirrors. Bill Homan is well known in the philatelic field as the owner of H. L. Krassa, Inc., dealers in rare stamps. However, he now devotes practically all of his time to photography, in which field he is especially expert. He has become internationally famous for his pictures in *Life*, *Story*, and other leading mag-

azines. Accompanying photograph was taken in Mr. Homan's home at Madison Ave., in New York, showing him standing behind his desk with the reflection in the wall mirror. On the wall above can be seen various trophies collected by Mr. Homan on his worldwide travels in search of material to photograph and illustrate the stories which he is assigned.

Bill Homan, who has headed our photographic Committee since the formation of *People-to-People*, and done a most commendable service for the Committee, has now resigned his chairmanship owing to the necessity of constant travel to far places. But he has agreed to be available to us whenever he is in this country, if needed.

To review those whom we have already reported on among philatelic personnel as having received the citation, we had:

Robert Gomersall, in charge of South Africa and Australian areas; George F. Miller, chairman of Nature Study groups; Peter G. Keller, executive secretary of the A.S.D.A. and vice pres. of *People to People Hobbies Committee*; Jacob S. Glaser,

executive assistant, specializing in art and stamp collecting activities; Franc Ritter, Art Director; Walter E. Law, Broadcasting and Chairman Models Sub-committee; Stanley Ross, vice pres. in charge of Spanish Affairs; Gen. Cornelius W. Wickersham, Counsellor for the Committee; and Jacques Minkus, executive director of philatelic activities.

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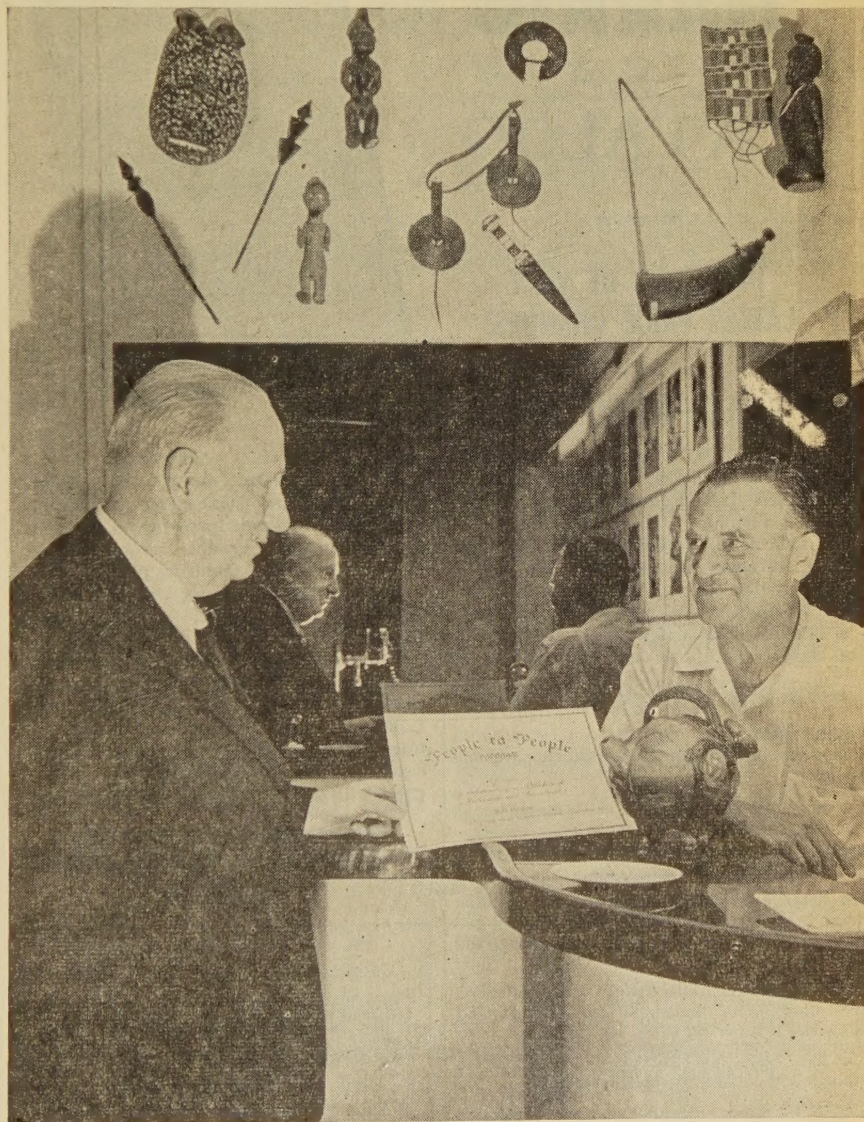


Photo by Bill Homan, New York

With the use of mirrors Bill Homan took this photograph of himself receiving the People-to-People citation from H. L. Lindquist for outstanding contributions to international philately.

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received citations but were not available to receive them personally so they were sent by mail:

James W. Shaver, Chicago, secretary of the Committee; Bernard Davis, Miami, chairman of the Stamp Committee; Raymond J.

Jefferys, Raleigh, N. C., chairman of the Amateur Journalism Committee; and Col. James T. DeVoss, Silver Spring, who organized the mailings for the Committee with the assistance of the Washington Philatelic Society.

In addition to the citations to philatelic members of the Hobbies Committee, persons in charge of other activities who received citations are:

Vernon Brown, chairman of the Coin Committee; Harry Miller, chairman, Pets Committee; Justin Cline, executive director, American Hostel Association, who heads the Hiking, Cycling, and Hosteling Committee; Frank J. Heller, chairman Photography Committee; Mil-

bourne Christopher, chairman, Committee; Nathaniel Stern, man, Manuscript and Rare Committee; and Mary E. chairman Doll and Toy Comm

Kansas City's First ASDA Show an October Event

THE "fledgling" chapter of American Stamp Dealers Association, Midwest Chapter #13, is less than a year old, is well in its planning for a big stamp coin show to be held in Kansas, Missouri, October 13-15, 1962.

The show will be held in the city's finest and most modern exhibition hall, at the Hotel Continental, 11th & Baltimore. An exhibition post office will be set up in the hall with a special cancel available and a stock of commemorative for sale.

For its first public event the Midwest chapter is assembling stamps and coins worth in excess of a million dollars, which will be on display throughout the five-day affair. Among the stand-out exhibits promised are:

Robert Van Dyke's grand award-winning Hawaiian collection, as well as the August APS show in Chicago. One of the few line pairs of the inverted-center airmail (C3A) as well as other United States "inverted" gems; the Canada Seaway issue; the Orangeburg Coil on cover; among two existing sheets of the 30c United States Die XVII, perf. 10, unperf. (Minkus 362A), insured for \$50,000.

James Meissen will exhibit an extensive collection of "first day" philatelic oddities, and there will be a display of which are sure to cause a great deal of comment. There will also be a display of Confederate patriotisms, Western territorials, etc.

Inasmuch as this will be Kansas City's first combined stamp and coin show, there will also be an extensive exhibit of gold and silver coins, Civil War currency, and more like.

The official exhibition cachet will be available from John Liegl 49300 Terbury, Shawnee Mission, KS. Embodying a "heart of America" design, the cachet will be furnished on printed envelopes, philatelic franked and mailed with the exhibition cancel, for 15c each.

Admission tickets will be 25c each, however, local ASDA members will be glad to arrange special rates for any sponsored group from the area: clubs, schools, etc.

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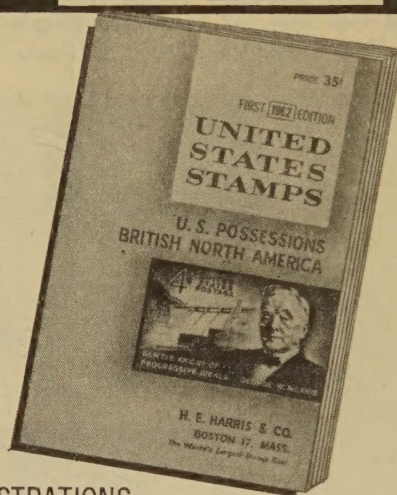
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Dr. Diesel was born in Paris on March 18, 1858, the son of German parents. He was educated in Paris, and studied at the industrial school of Augsburg, Germany, and at the Academy of Technology in Munich. He was of course the inventor of the internal combustion fuel-oil-burning engine which bears his name, and which is in use all over the world. Besides its efficiency in operation, it is less costly than the gasoline engine. It is used not only in marine and railroad operation, but even long-haul trucks are moved by the Diesel engine.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Atkinson have announced the birth of a son, James Robert, on August 31, 1961, at St. Mary's Hospital in Montreal, Canada.

The Bellingham Stamp Club, P. O. Box 1, Bellingham, Washington, sponsored the covers for the Point Roberts centennial celebration, July 30, 1961. One shows a map of the area, with points of interest indicated. The other two show, respectively, the Point Roberts Archibald Campbell obelisk and the Point Roberts Boundary Marker along the 48th parallel forming the Canadian-American line. A booklet with historical notes of the area is included in each cover. They are available at 20c each or 50c for the set of three directly from the Club.

Maurice E. Reese, of Brooklyn, New York, submits an illustration which appeared on the front page of *Women's World* for August 24, 1961, depicting a French postage stamp with Paris cancellation. Below it are the words "Stamp of Authority/Paris Report/September Bazaar."

Vene Costales, editor of the Scott catalog, advises that Germany's Beethoven set of 1959, mentioned in Carl Praeger's "European Letter" (STAMPS, Sept. 9, 1961), was listed in Scott's 1961 catalog as #804 at 55c. It has been raised in the 1962 catalog to 85c.

James Kocmoud, of Antioch, Ill., submits an article from the Aug. 23, 1961 issue of the Brookfield Enterprise, Brookfield, Ill., telling of the efforts of a Wilfred Ramsden of Summit to secure Christmas stamp issue by the U.S., and of his difficulties with the Department in his "one man" fight. As a matter of fact, different people have been trying to get Christmas stamps for years from various Post Office Administrations in the U.S., both Democratic and Republican, without success.

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The October 7th cover shows early transportation and communication on the Colorado frontier, with an illustration of the stage coach and Denver City cancellation of the Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Company.

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The members gave him a fine traveling case as a memento of their esteem and devoted much of the meeting to singing his praises.

Dr. Camnitzer has been active in philatelic circles in New York for many years and played an active part in the international shows sponsored by the *Association for Stamp Exhibitions, Inc.*, as well as in the affairs of the *Collectors Club* and other specialized groups in which he is interested.

He and Mrs. Camnitzer will make their permanent home in Florida. They carry with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

John J. Britt showed portions of his gold medal collection of Airmail Proofs and Essays, and other interesting items were shown by several members.

Correction

In the September 9th advertisement of John Arnosti Luxembourg set 329-30 should have been listed as 329-31 used at \$7.50.

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In L. E. Kauffman's ad of Sept. 9th, the Angola Bird set was incorrectly listed and priced. Item should have read:
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Additional prizes of philatelic interest will be awarded other winners, and duplicate prizes will be awarded in case of a tie.

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The contest will run through midnight, October 3. Winners will be announced shortly after first day figures are released by the Post Office Department.

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 AM-8. An official cachet will be fur-
 nished for the post office and airport mail
 facility at Birmingham for use on the
 first eastbound and westbound flights.
 Westbound covers will be backstamped at
 Los Angeles and eastbound covers at At-
 lanta. The usual philatelic treatment of
 covers bearing airmail stamps (7 cents
 per ounce) will be provided.

Patrons desiring to receive the post
 office or airport mail facility cachet should
 forward their covers to reach the ad-
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On or about October 15, 1961, Delta
 Air Lines will also inaugurate airmail
 service between Dallas, Texas, and San
 Francisco, California, on Route AM-8.
 Official cachets will be furnished for the
 post offices and airport mail facilities at
 Dallas and San Francisco.

The usual philatelic treatment will be
 provided. Westbound covers will be back-
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 covers at Dallas. Patrons desiring to re-
 ceive the post office or airport mail fa-
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Specimen Stamps of Laos

By ALLEN D. KERR

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IN 1956 the Kingdom of Laos overprinted three stamps with the word, SPECIMEN, in order to use them as illustrations with an article published in an international magazine with a wide circulation.

The magazine *France-Asie*, a monthly journal published in Saigon, printed a combined issue for March, April, and June, 1956, entitled, "Presence du Royaume Lao, Pays du Million d'Elephants et du Parasol Blanc" (Presence of the Kingdom of Laos, Country of a Million Elephants and of the White Parasol). This issue of the magazine was devoted to a general survey of the country, including its geography, history, art, ethnography, religion, language, literature, and economy. Section XII was an article entitled, "Les Timbres-Poste Lao," written by Henry Bouchon, Director of PTT, and which summarized the history of the postal system since 1951, the date it started to function independently.

Included in this article was a review of each of the series of stamps issued by the country, and to illustrate the different series, three stamps were overprinted "SPECIMEN" in red and pasted in black-bordered squares. These are the 100 kip value of the Buddha issue of 1953 (SG 39, Scott C12) overprinted across the middle at a 45° angle, reading upward; the 50 kip value of the Universal Postal Union set of 1952 (SG 28, Scott C6) overprinted across the middle at about a 30° angle, reading upward; and the 2 kip value of the Ramayana set of 1955 (SG 43, Scott C14) overprinted across the middle at a 45° angle, reading downward. All three of these stamps are airmail.

Not having been issued primarily for postal or presentation purposes, these overprinted stamps were not brought to the attention of the stamp collecting fraternity, and have remained unknown to collectors. Large numbers of copies of the magazine were distributed, and still remain on sale in limited numbers in the bookstores of Vientiane. They form a practically unknown but interesting addition to a collection of the beautiful and intriguing stamps of Laos.

Les timbres-poste lao

PAR

Henry BOUCHON.

Directeur des Postes et Télécommunications de la F.O.M.



L'Administration postale lao fonctionne comme un organe indépendant depuis le 1^{er} janvier 1951, date à laquelle la France a fait remise de ses services aux trois Etats de l'ancienne Indochine.

A ce titre, le Royaume Lao, membre de l'Union Internationale des Télécommunications depuis le 28 novembre 1951 et de l'Union Postale Universelle depuis le 13 mai 1952, possède donc ses valeurs d'affranchissement propres et ses timbres-taxe personnels depuis la destruction des anciennes figurines postales de l'Administration française des P.T.T.

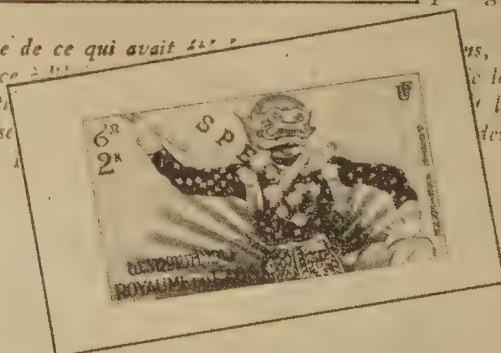
La naissance du timbre-poste lao se confond ainsi avec celle de l'Administration postale du Royaume et la création de l'Office National des Postes et Télécommunications du Laos, dont le premier Ministre en exercice fut S.A. Tiao Souvanna Phouma. C'est grâce à sa présence, pendant quatre années consécutives,

Le Timbre lao a été présenté à Manille en 1952, à New-Delhi en 1954 et le sera à New-York en 1956. Chaque fois, les blocs de quatre de l'Administration postale lao ont été l'objet des plus flatteuses appréciations.



ciations. A Bruxelles, en 1955, à Buenos-Aires la même année, à Arnhem en 1956 les hommages effectues suivront l'usage international, sous forme d'albums souvenir, sûrement assurés de la plus grande fi-

A la différence de ce qui avait été préféré la taille-douce à l'usage de fabrication des timbres est mondiale, se de l'Administration



Portions of pages from the magazine "France-Asie" with the article on Laos postage stamps in which actual stamps overprinted "Specimen" were used for illustration reported in accompanying article.

Stockholm Philatelic Society Exhibition

Stockholm Philatelic Society celebrated its 75th anniversary with an exhibition, FILEX 61, at Kundshallen, Stockholm, September 14-18, 1961. The program for this event were given in our editorial columns on July 29, 1961. There were ninety exhibitors in the competitive class from various parts of the world. The Class of Honor consisted of specially invited exhibits which received gold or higher awards in international exhibitions.

Some of the highlights of the exhibition was the showing by Dr. I. Vajda of a famous three skilling banco which is considered to be one of Europe's most famous stamps. The stamp is accompanied by papers assuring its genuineness were made out by the high court in 1931. The papers tell how he discovered of the stamp, Colonel Vajda, found it in 1885-86, which is for 75th year celebration. Also shown was a couple of valuable skilling-banco stamps stamped at New Kopparberg with the seal as the three skilling. More details on this yellow three were given in an item *Street in Stockholm Named after the Three Skilling* which appeared in our issue of September 16, 1961.

Mercury Special Auction

A special auction sale of the Mercury Stamp Company, of New York, scheduled for October 5 and 6, 1961, has been announced to October 10, 11 and 12, to make possible the inclusion of material which makes it a three-fold of almost 1800 Lots.

A nice section of United States material including some rare covers, British and Latin America form the first of the sale featuring rare singles and especially unusual and desirable material. Among the European Countries, the groups are outstanding, namely, Western Europe, with an exquisite selection of beautiful items, as well as Austria, Lombardy-Venetia. Old German and Germany with Occupations and German Offices and Colonies are very well covered, filling the third of the sale; the latter are practically common and used. Rareties are mentioned also of several other countries, such as Czechoslovakia (Semi-), Poland (overprints on Austria), and India (first issue) and Turkey in Asia.

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The album has an appropriate Madonna frontispiece design, and the pages are attractively designed and laid out. They are the usual sturdy card quality of the K-Line.

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The Street Car RPO System of Grand Rapids, Michigan

By HARRIS H. HOPKINS Ph.D.

READ with much interest an article entitled "The First Street Car RPO System," by Notvest and later about a year ago in a philatelic magazine which recalled to my mind a visit to Grand Rapids, Michigan during the early 1900's, at which time the city's unique mail collection system was noted. I thought possibly some of the readers of STAMPS might be interested in reading about it. Not only was it unique, but fascinating, as I had been accustomed all of my life of mailing letters on the street corner in Kalamazoo, Michigan, where the mail box was fastened onto a cement or steel post.

Apparently Grand Rapids had been plagued with street car strikes in its early years and was afraid of them in the future, so the transportation company used this method to curtail them. Mail boxes were placed on the front of street cars

to forestall labor difficulty on street car lines.

A strike of the street railway workers would interfere with the collection of the mails—a Federal offense. From December 1, 1899, to June 20, 1920, a correspondent need only to stop a passing street car to mail his letter. A short time later when the car reached Campau Square in the downtown district of Grand Rapids, his letter would be collected and sent on its way. This service was discontinued in 1920 because of delayed service to passengers and increasing traffic congestion.

Persons desiring to use only the mail box on a street car were warned, "All cars will stop at signal on crossings for the deposit of mail, but it is necessary to be quick in depositing mail in boxes that the cars may not be delayed."

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merly toured the city rail lines collecting and distributing mail. When electric cars replaced the horse-drawn ones, three small white mail cars were put into service.

There is no known special cancelling device relating to these street car mail collections in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

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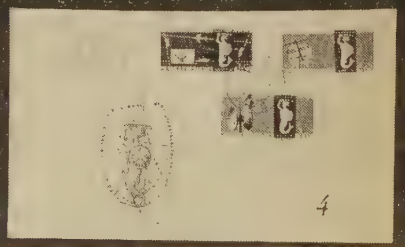
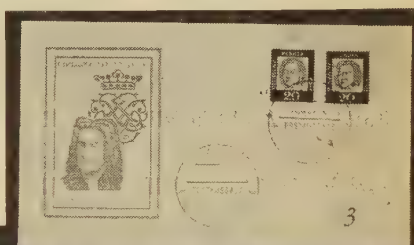
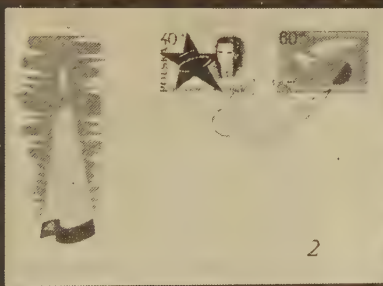
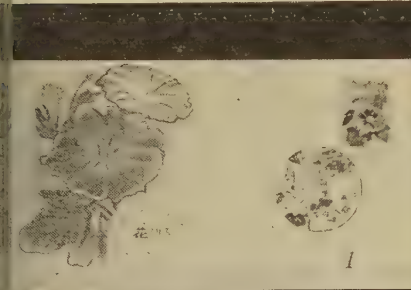
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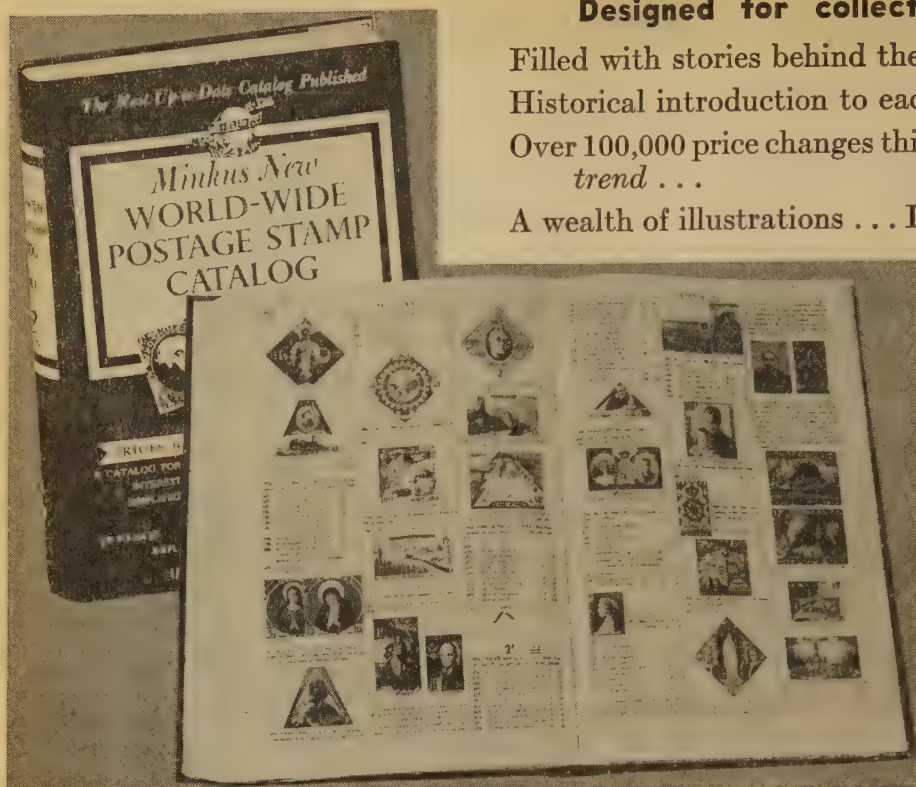
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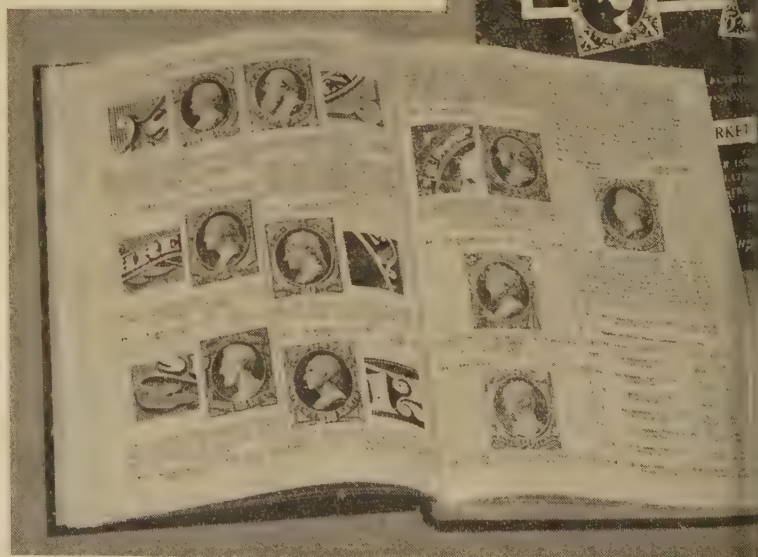
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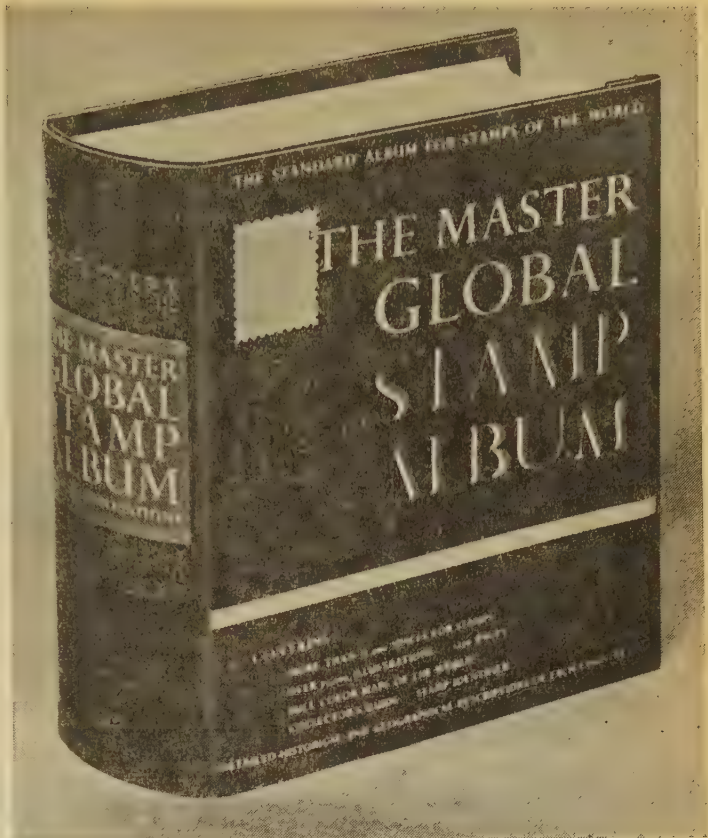
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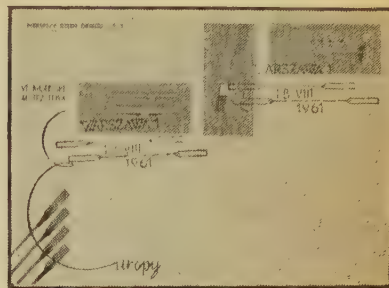
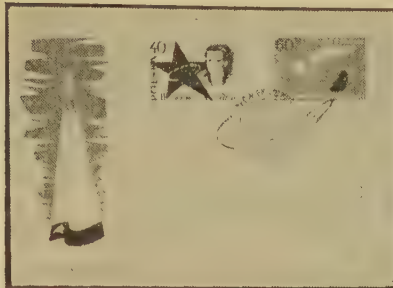
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Coming Events

Sept. 23—Society of Israel Philatelists meeting, 7:30 P.M., Sept. 27, at Hotel Martinique, Broadway & 32 St., New York.

Sept. 25—Dutchess Philatelic Society 30th annual banquet, when new officers will be installed, at the Holiday Center Lounge, Albany Post Road, Wappinger Falls, N. Y. Herman Herst will be speaker. Charles Bretagne, of Poughkeepsie, acting as M. C. Club regularly meets at its headquarters, 58 Market St., Poughkeepsie, N. Y., second and fourth Monday of the month.

Sept. 28—Springfield Delco Stamp Club meeting, when John Pflieger will talk on Boy Scout topicals, at Twp. Bldg. Powell Rd., Springfield, Pa. Regular meetings second and fourth Thursdays.

Sept. 29—Hellenic Philatelic Society of America will have an exhibit of Large Hermes Heads, first stamps of Greece, at the Collectors Club, 22 East 35 St., New York from 10 A.M. to 10 P.M. Admission free and all collectors welcome.

Sept. 29—Charles I. Ball, pres. of Garfield-Perry Stamp Club, will show, by popular request, his collection of "wasted basket" philately, accompanied by a talk in humorous vein. Oct. 6 meeting will have William H. Wallace showing his fine collection of wmkd. medallion issues of Belgium which won the Lagerloet Cup (grand award) at the 1961 G-H March Party.

Sept. 30—Chicagoland Chapter, Valerian Philatelic Society installation of officers. Meetings held last Saturday of each month at Crerar Library Bldg., 86 E. Randolph St., Room 404, at 1:30 P.M. Visitors always welcome. Membership information from John E. Walz, 1127 Knollwood Rd., Deerfield, Illinois.

Oct. 6-8—Federated Philatelic Clubs of Southern California, Inc. exhibition SESCOAL will have covers paying tribute to men of the Army of Pacific in Civil War. One cover will show map of the Army's routes; and other a reprinted photo of Drum Barracks at Wilmington, Calif. Price 15c each, two for 25c; and

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omas, The Redlands Stamp Club, P. O.
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Oct. 7—Michigan Stamp Club cele-
brates 1,000th meeting at Wilshire Hotel,
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igan. Begins with bourse and social period
2 P.M. Guest speaker at the Buffet
dinner starting at 7 P.M. will be H. L.
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Oct. 8—Fairfield Philatelic Society of
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Oct. 14-15—Kent Philatelic Society
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Oct. 29—New Castle Stamp Club twelfth annual exhibition; will have cachet on Civil War theme at 15c each two for 25c, from New Castle Stamp Club, c/o Miss Peggy Uhl, 218 Elm St., New Castle, Penna. Exhibition held Oct. 28-29 in Elks Club, North Mill and Fed. Sts., New Castle, Penna.

Nov. 11-12—Council of Northern California Philatelic Societies 21st anniversary meeting, and two-day Penpex competitive exhibit at the Recreation Center, Palo Alto, Calif. Bourse information from Richard Wolfers, 12 Geary St., San Francisco 8, Calif. Cachet information from B. E. Youngstrom, 2433 Jefferson Ave., Redwood City, Calif.

Nov. 11-12—Suburban Collectors Club of Chicago annual exhibition and bourse SUPEX 1961, at Hinsdale Community House, Hinsdale, Ill. over 200 frames on view. Prospectus, further information from John Jezek Jr., 3532 Raymond Ave., Brookfield, Ill. Trophies awarded in each section; all exhibitors will receive certificate of participation. Two color cachet with map of towns along Burlington R.R. printed on the 7c blue DC-7 Government airmail envelope, 20c each from Mr. Howard H. Oetjen, 13 E. Hickory St., Hinsdale, Illinois.

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DURING the August convention of the A.P.S. and C.P.S. in Chicago several unique souvenir items went to members registering. There is still a limited supply of them, and the officers of the two societies thought that members who could not attend the convention might in some instances like to have them. They are therefore offering these in a "package deal" for \$3.00 plus 50 cents postage. A copy of the 80-page souvenir convention program will be included with each order.

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The souvenirs consist of the following, with prices quoted for anyone wishing single items rather than the package deal. (1) Smoked glass tray, 7 1/2 inches, inscribed in gold "75 Diamond Jubilee Convention/1886-1961, Chicago, Ill., Aug. 17-20, 1961", with the Seal of the APS in blue and gold in the center. \$1.50 plus 35c postage. (2) Medallion key chain inscribed "Diamond Jubilee/1886-1961" with engraving of APS Seal on obverse and CPS Seal on reverse. 75c plus 15c postage. (3) Jubilee Badge in rectangular form suspended from double blue ribbon stamped in gold for convention with dates. Includes diamond engraving of both Society seals and diamond-like brilliant "stone" mounted in the center. 75c plus 15c postage.

September 23, 1961 ☆ STAMPS

U. S.
Precancels

By **Adolf Gunesch**

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WHENEVER a new Precancel catalog is issued, it is NEWS. The *Official Precancel Catalog for Printed Dated Stamps, Printed Dated Integrals and Printed Dated Classics* is at hand. The author is Charles Metz, of Philadelphia. Associate editor and publisher is Alvin G. Gunesch, of Detroit, Michigan.

This one is marked "third edition", but it is a new catalog as far as the *Printed Dated Issue Precancels* are concerned. Nothing has been published on this since 1940, when the late Hoover brothers put out Part I of the *Official Precancel Catalog* (16th edition,) which included all Precancels issued between 1900 and 1920. For that reason we are very much interested to see this new catalog to learn how the editors handled the early classics, which have about disappeared from dealers' stocks.

We felt it unfortunate that no larger illustrations were used to indicate which stamps contain these early classics; also, no illustrations were used in this new catalog, although hundreds of them appear in the *Dated Control* section. Why should we do not know, as previously the permission to reproduce the illustrations from the *Official Precancel Catalog* could have been obtained from the Noble, the copyright owner, along with the permission to include the early stamps in the new catalog with the numbers, which are also copyrighted. It is not to mention Type 1 or 4, does not mean a thing because these type stamps are not Universal Style numbers to be identified by the Style Chart; since the *Official Precancel Catalog* published twenty-one years ago has long run out of print, the thousands of new Precancel Collectors are at a disadvantage.

It is our opinion that prices of the *Printed Dated* stamps are way out of line to their real worth, in many cases being more than they were priced twenty-one years ago. For instance, Lakeville, Connecticut, Type 5. As we understand it, the prices are for fine copies. We are tired to pay double the prices in the *Official Precancel Catalog*. In our thirty-six years in the Precancel field we have found these Lakeville *Dated Classics* but once in a Precancel collection we purchased.

Comparing prices of other Classics, say for instance with some present day *Dated Controls*, the whole thing makes sense to us. To price any Chicago 1900s 60-year-old classics, at 30c or more and then price the M. J. P. or the P. N. of Detroit, current controls, at 50c or more or less favors at 50c, more than we can understand. We

do not say that the above-mentioned *Dated Controls* are not worth the 50c, but if so, Chicago *Dated* or any other *Early Classics* from Binghamton, Racine, etc., are worth at least \$1.00 each. The paper of these *Early Classics* is getting brittle, corners break easily, and more and more are getting lost to collectors, and certainly make the remaining stock worth more. We do not know who actually is responsible for pricing these *Early Classics*, but since there has not been a catalog for them for so many years, we feel more care should have been exercised in putting prices on these popular stamps. We certainly would not sell any of these *Early Classics* for less than \$1.00 each whether they hail from Chicago, Binghamton or Racine, unless they are defective in some way.

In spite of what has been said about the *Early Classics* prices, you will find some real surprises in that section, and since there has not been a catalog available for so many years, this new one certainly will help, even though you may not be able to buy all of them at the prices given. The catalog sells for \$2.50 and may be had from your favorite Precancel dealer. It is worth the price and we recommend it in spite of the few disappointing aspects we mentioned.

P. O. Civil War Stamp Program Upheld

THE following was received by THE ASSOCIATED PRESS wire at WIP in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: "The Post Office Department says it cannot endorse a request from The Pennsylvania State Senate for a special series of stamps commemorating Pennsylvania's role in the Civil War. The Department's position was outlined in a letter to Representative James E. Van Zandt, who plans to introduce legislation which would authorize issuance of the Pennsylvania Civil War stamps. The letter, from James F. Kelleher, Special Assistant to the Postmaster General, pointed out that so far the Department planned to issue only five special Civil War centennial stamps, including one to commemorate the Battle of Gettysburg. The request for the special Pennsylvania issue was made in a resolution adopted by the State Senate."

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AFGHANISTAN—Through courtesy of the Ministry of Communications we have first day covers of two new sets: A 50 ps. and 175 ps., issued Aug. 24, 1961, to mark the international exposition at Kabul. Both values show a group of buildings, which possibly are those at the exposition site. The other set consists of an imperf. and a perf. souvenir sheet with a 50 ps. and a 175 ps. stamp, each of the same design, depicting a figure carrying a flag, and with another flag in between the two stamps. This was issued on August 31, 1961, and bears the inscription, "A L'Occasion de la Journee due Pach-tounistan."

ARGENTINA—A 2 pesos purple stamp was issued on September 9, 1961, in honor of the 150th birthday of Domingo F. Sarmiento. There are 100 stamps to the

sheet; printing is by photogravure, in an edition of three million, by the State Mint. The design shows a statue of Sarmiento "Father of the Country", by Auguste Rodin, which is in the "3 of February" park in the city of Buenos Aires. Our thanks for information, first day covers to Mauricio Yastremiz, Buenos Aires; and Ernesto Andreotti, Cordoba, Argentina.

AUSTRALIA—A 5d postage stamp commemorating the centenary of the birth of Dame Nellie Melba will be issued at all post offices on Sept. 20, 1961, and remain on sale for about three weeks. Mme. Melba is famous throughout the world as a great singer. The new stamp will be blue and of the same size as the current flora series. It will portray Mme. Melba as represented by the well-known

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AUSTRALIA—A 5d Australian Antarctic Territory stamp, commemorating the 50th anniversary of the 1911-14 Australian Antarctic Expedition, will be issued Oct. 18, 1961. The design will be based on a hitherto unpublished portrait of the late Sir Douglas Mawson, who was leader of the Expedition. The color will be gray-green. It will be valid for postage in Australia as well as in the Australian Antarctic Territory, and will be available at Australian post offices for about three weeks after issue date. Thereafter it will remain current for a limited period for use in the Territory, and will continue to be obtainable at Post Office Philatelic Sections in all Australian States.

—Australian News & Information Bureau, New York

AUSTRIA—For the occasion of the International Banking Congress opening Sept. 18 in Vienna, a 3S stamp without surtax will be issued on Sept. 13 and become valid for postage on Sept. 18, 1961. It was designed by Adalbert Pitch, engraved by Rudolf Toth, and recess-printed by the Austrian State Printing Works in steel gray. Three million copies in sheets of fifty were produced.

Also, on Sept. 13, a special series without surtax will be issued to commemorate the 15th anniversary of the nationalized industries in Austria. The stamps will become valid for postage on Sept. 15, 1961. The five denominations are: 1 S, steel gray; 1.50 S, green; 1.80 S, red; 3 S, violet; and 5 S, blue. They show coal mining in Lavant Valley, electrical power production (Elin-Union Generator), iron production (iron ore mill), steel production (steel works), and oil production (a refinery). The designs are by Adalbert Pitch, and engravings are by Georg Wimmer. The Austrian State Printing Works recess-printed three million copies, in sheets of fifty.

—Edwin Mueller

BELGIUM—On September 14, 1961, two stamps of the 3F and 6F values were issued to mark the 50th conference of the Interparliamentary Union, taking place in Brussels, Sept. 14-22. Both stamps are of the same design, representing an allegory of the Union, and the design is by Jean Van Noten. They were printed by a process combining taille-douce and heliogravure. The taille-douce portion is by M. De Vos, and the heliogravure part was done by the firm of Malvaux. They are in sheets of thirty, with 11½ perf., and were printed by the Atelier du Timbre a Malines. They will be on sale at all offices until November 30, 1961.

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BRITISH COLONIES—The following will have new stamps as indicated:

ANTIGUA—A special issue is being prepared by Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co., Ltd., commemorating Nelson's Dockyard Restoration. More details later.

BRITISH GUIANA—A special issue for History and Culture Week is being prepared by Harrison & Sons, Ltd. More details later.

FEDERATION OF MALAYA—The 10c denominations of Johore, Negri Sembilan, Penang, Perak, and Selangor have been ordered in reels for use in stamp vending machines. Each reel will consist of 1,000 stamps taken from current printings. Dealers are advised these reels will not be available from the Crown Agents.

GAMBIA—The special issue announced here July 29 consists of the values 2d, 3d, 6d, 1/3d. The stamps will be printed by the recess process in vertical format. The designs include the Annigoni portrait of QEII, and the following: 2d palm leaf, green and purple; 3d map, blue-green and sepia; 6d map, blue and cerise; 1/3d palm leaf, violet and green.

ST. HELENA—Harrison & Sons Ltd. are preparing a new definitive issue, details of which will be given later.

SEYCHELLES—The Post Office centenary commemorative issue announced here May 27 consists of three values: 10c, 35c, and Rs. 2.25. The stamps will be printed in three colors by two recess and one letterpress printing in horizontal format. The design includes the Annigoni portrait of QEII with the St. Edward's Crown, and features the 6d blue Mauritius stamp overprinted "B 64", originally used in Seychelles.

SIERRA LEONE—The previously announced Royal Visit issue comprises four values: 3d, 4d, 6d, and 1/3d, in horizontal format. The designs include the Annigoni portrait of QEII and the following: 3d, Royal Charter 1799, black and red; 4d Kings Yard Gate, Freetown 1817, black and violet; 6d, Old House of Rep-

resentatives, Freetown 1924, black and orange; 1/3d, H.M. Yacht "Britannia" at Freetown, black and blue.

SWAZILAND—The following values of the current definitive issue converted to decimal currency were released on Sept. 10, 1961: 2d converted to 2c; 4½d to 4c; 6d to 5c; 5/- to 50c; 10/- to R1. These stamps have been produced from the original dies, but suitably amended to decimal currency, and will replace the equivalent overprinted values at present on sale in Swaziland.

TONGA—Harrison & Sons Ltd. are preparing a special issue to commemorate the 75th anniversary of Postal Services in Tonga. The stamps will be printed on Tonga watermarked paper. Further details later.

ZANZIBAR—The new 20/- value previously announced will be similar in size and design to the 10/- value, but the color will be sepia.

—Crown Agents Stamp Bulletin

CANADA—On October 12, 1961, a "Resources for Tomorrow" stamp will be issued in brown and green color, panes of 50 stamps, quantity 35 million. Designer is A. L. Pollock of Toronto. It will be hand-engraved and show two hands holding up a five-spoked cogwheel. Seen between the spokes of the wheel are modernistic sketches representing water resources, agriculture, forestry, wildlife and fisheries. Inscription at the top will read: "Resources for Tomorrow" in English and French. The denomination (5c) will appear at the bottom right. Thirty-five million stamps are to be printed.

—Canada Post Office Department

CHINA - FORMOSA—Three more stamps in the second series of Ancient Art Treasures were issued on September 15, 1961, as follows: \$2.00 showing a Jade Tankard of the Sung Dynasty (A.D. 960-1126), quantity 600,000; \$4.00 Wash-

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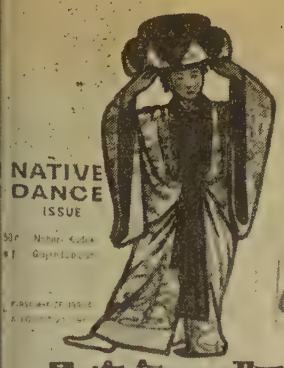
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—Director of Posts

COLOMBIA—The National Spanish
inting Office has been given the con-
ct to print eight million stamps with
urface value of 0.05 centavos each, with
roceeds from sale to go to the Red
ross. They will be printed by photo-
ravure in two colors, half in one com-
ination of colors, and half in another.
ne design will be the same in both
ses, a portrait of Nurse Manuelita de la
ruz, who gave her life in the perform-
ce of duty during the flood in the lower
agdalena River Valley in 1955. The
mps are scheduled for issue in October
1961.

Stamps in honor of the American States,
d printed by photogravure by Thomas
la Rue of London, will be released
wards the end of the year. The series
nsist of a 25c ordinary (3 million), a
c air (10 million), and a Ps. \$2.50
tra-rapid souvenir sheet (50,000). All
ill carry the Pan American Union Em-
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Cucuta (2 million), and coats of arms of
the cities of Ocana and Pamplona (2 mil-
lion).

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urban development of the city of Cucuta
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GERMANY—WEST—Our thanks to Fritz Rahnhofer, Nuernberg; and Joachim Dill, Bad Neustadt, for first day covers of a 7pf. stamp in amber-brown color issued August 31, 1961, for the Philatelic Congress at Nuernberg. The stamp depicts a typical postman of Nuernberg in the year 1700; and is inscribed "Nuernberger Bote um 1700."

GERMANY—WEST—On October 2, 1961, the twelfth set of welfare semi-postals since WWII will be issued in the values of 7+3, 10+5, 20+10, 40+20 pfgs. They will depict fairy tale scenes from Hansel and Gretel.

—Joachim Dill

GHANA—Our thanks to E. M. Forster for a first day cover dated Sept. 1, 1961, with the three stamps issued for the Conference of Non-Aligned Countries at Belgrade in September. Two of the values are shown in this week's illustrations at the head of this column, the 3d and the 1/3d; the third value is a 5/-.

HERM ISLAND—It has been decided to overprint all six values of the present definitive series with the words EUROPA September 18, 1961 (in two lines) and this new issue will be released on that date and will be on sale at the Island Administration Office, Herm Island. (These are local stamps which are good for postage to transport the mail between the island and the G.P.O. on the Island of Guernsey. The mail is carried daily in the island launch by locked mailbag.)

HONG KONG—Depicted in the stamps shown at the head of this column this week is a \$1 value issued on Sept. 11, 1961, to commemorate the golden jubilee of the University of Hong Kong. It will remain on sale for a period of three months or until stocks are exhausted, whichever is earlier. The design features the coat of arms of the University in full color against a blue background. Printing in five colors was by photo-gravure on CA Block Capitals water-marked paper, by Harrison & Sons, Ltd., London, in sheets of 50 stamps.

ICELAND—On October 6, 1961 three new commemoratives will be issued to mark the 50th anniversary of the founding of the University of Iceland. Values are: Kr. 1.00, red-brown, showing Benedikt Sveinsson (1827-1899), an Iceland statesman, who worked on the University program at the Althing; Quantity 2 million. Kr. 1.40, blue, depicting Bjorn M.

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Mr. Chowdery reports that six more
commemoratives are scheduled for the
current year. On November 14, two
stamps of the 15np denomination will be
issued, one to mark the annual Children's
Day, and the other to commemorate
the opening of the Indian Industries
Fair of 1961. This will be followed
on November 18 with a 15np stamp to
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sued Dec. 14 for the centenary celebra-
tion of the Archaeological Survey of India.
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the birth centenary of the late Pandi
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Mr. Chowdery also advises that letters
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JUGOSLAVIA—On Sept. 10, 1961, a 25 dinars brown and olive stamp was issued showing St. Clement after a wood sculpture of the 14th Century. The inscription "Xlle Congres International des Etudes Byzantines 1961" appears at sides and top of the stamp. Edition 5,000.

—Jugoslav PTT

MALAYA—Our thanks to the following for first day covers of the previously reported stamps of Kelantan and Selangor honoring the Sultans of those States: Johnny Ho, Seremban, N. S.; Ngooi Sin Loong, Kuala Lumpur; and M. B. Jinadasa, Penang.

MOROCCO—Three stamps of the same design were issued on August 30, 1961, for the Sports Games at Casablanca. The design has figure of a man running or jumping; it is difficult to determine which. The values are 20F green, 30F raspberry red, and 50F blue.

NORFOLK ISLAND—A new stamp of the 1/ld. denomination will be issued on October 16, 1961. In deep-red color, the stamp depicts a fringed hibiscus, and will become part of the definitive series, replacing the provisional 1/ld. stamp currently in use. A special first day of issue postmark will be used.

—Australian News & Information Bureau, New York

NORWAY—Our thanks for first day covers dated Sept. 2, 1961, with the previously reported University of Oslo 150th anniversary commemoratives: O. R. Overland, Trondhjem; Martin Rolfsen, Risor; Postverkets Frimerkesalg til Samlere, Oslo; Olaf Svorstols, Vestfold; Oscar Fjoerli, Bergen; and the Norwegian National Travel Office, New York. The stamps depict the University, and were designed by Frederik Matheson, printed by Emil Moestue A/S of Oslo, on paper from Alvoens Papirfabrik of Bergen, in sheets of 50. One of the covers is shown on the front cover of this issue of STAMPS.

NORWAY—On October 10, 1961, two stamps (45, and 90 ore) will be issued to commemorate the Arctic explorer Nansen, this date being the centenary of his birth. They will be on paper without watermark, in sheets of 50, printed by Emil Moestue A/S, Oslo. Designed by Arne Johnson. Perf. 13.

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PHILIPPINES—Tee Suy Bee, of Zamboanga City, reports that he recently found a used copy of the 30c airmail denomination of the Manila Conference stamp in black and green instead of bronze and green. The "30c Airmail" inscription at the upper left and the "1961 Manila Postal Conference" across the bottom are in black.

He also advises that the Manila Ca-

thedral stamp comes in two perforations 12x12 and 13½x13½.

POLAND—From the Poland Philatelic Agency in Great Neck, New York, E. Androchowicz, Wroclaw; Dr. M. Rayall de Ragan, Kowary; and Ars Polon in Warsaw, we have information: copies of two new stamps which were issued on August 24, 1961 to honor the second space flight of the Soviet Union and the space man, Air Force Major Hermann S. Titov.

The 40 gr. value shows a portrait of Titov at the right; and at the left, a star as the background for a globe of world and an orbit circle in white around it. At the bottom is an inscription in Polish reading "11nd Space Flight—H. Titov." The design, by Stefan Bernacinski is on unwatermarked chalked paper tinted with a soft lavender-pink color printed by offset in sheets of 90.

The 60 gr. value is in blue and black featuring a dove after Picasso's peace symbol and as a symbol of the planet going around the earth. An inscription reads: "700,000 kilometers in Space" at top, and "17 times around the globe" (a liberal translation from the Polish). This stamp is also by Bernacinski as both stamps were printed by the State Printing Office in Warsaw. The sheets of both stamps carry an inscription, "II Il Czlowieka w Kosmos—ZSSR Sierpień 1961 i. Ilnd Space flight of Man—USSR August 1961."

Our thanks to Dr. de Ragan also for first day cover of these issues.

POLAND—From the Poland Philatelic Agency in Great Neck, N. Y., we have the information that a six-value set "Insects Under Protection" will be issued in September 1961. Eventually the will consist of twelve values.

The first six designs are by J. Dessberger, and were printed by multicolor rotogravure on chalk-surfaced paper without watermark. The edition will be three million. All of the first six represent different species of beetles, some feeding on wood and some on insects.

POLAND—Our thanks to Ars Polonica for a set of the previously reported European Canoe Championship stamps, which are in both perf and imperf for all three values.

RYUKYUS—Elsewhere in this issue we show a first day cover of a set of two stamps showing folk dances of the Ryukyus. They are of the 50c and \$1.00 values. Our thanks to Joseph V. Bush, Chula Vista, Calif., specialist dealer in Ryukyus issues; and Meiso Mizuhara, Tokyo, for first day covers dated Sept. 1, 1961.

SAN MARINO—Our thanks to Velezia F. D. Covers, Turin, Italy, for a first day cover with three new stamps of the same design issued to commemorate the Philatelic Exhibition of the Risorgimento at Turin on September 5, 1961. The design depicts the "Rock" of San Marino at the left and the 10c Sardinia stamp with San Marino forerunner cancellation.

right. Our thanks also to Pierson of Burlington, Vermont, for in-
on the design.

AFRICA—We are advised by Sherwood, of Cheshire, England, printings are now on sale of the 1 2½c values on paper without a mark, having appeared somewhere in mid-August or a little earlier. All issues and printings will be on unmarked paper, Mr. Sherwood states. The 2½c value, printed originally from plates Y4 and Y1, was reprinted from plates S17 and S3, again on watermarked paper, and was on sale during the first printing on May 30. About four weeks or so the same value was released again on unwatermarked paper from yet a new combination of cylinders, S15 and S18. The third time, Mr. Sherwood considers to get to a new stamp, for the outline building depicted on the stamp has outlined heavily and is conspicuous, as before it was just recognizable.

TRKEY—On October 21, 1961, two stamps for the 100th anniversary of Turkish schools will be issued. We have further information at this time.

—Joachim Dill

IRICAN CITY—On October 6, 1961 stamps of four values (10, 15, 40, and 100) will be issued to commemorate the 15th centenary of the death of St. Patrick. Two subjects will be used. The design will portray a medieval marble effigy of the saint. The other will portray a panoramic view of the island in the Dergh known as "St. Patrick's Purgatory." The stamps were designed by Howard Pizzi, and are being printed by the Italian State Polygraph Press.

—Rev. John E. Kelly, Dir.
—National Catholic Welfare Conf.
Augustino Villecco

T NAM—SOUTH—A set of four stamps was issued Sept. 5, 1961, in celebration of the 50th, 1, 3, 6d, for the triennial of the death of Alexandre de S.

—Samuel J. Heath

VENEZUELA—Our thanks to Eugenio and Olga Ziloff, both of Caracas, for the first day covers dated September 6, with the previously forecast native stamps. There are six values to date, consisting of a 5c 10c, 15c, 30c, and 50c, depicting respectively the Bolivar, Gallito de Rocas, Paraulata, Loro Real, Garcita Blanca, Coro Sidra.

Mr. Gebauer advises that an employee of the Ministry of Finance advised him by mistake not enough sets were put to be sold to philatelists, but that he had recalled some of the 5c value interior post offices of Venezuela to date the sets, this value having been in shorter supply than the other values of Caracas point of issue. Nevertheless he had been informed by the Ministry of Philatelic Affairs department on the date of issue that he could not be sup-

plied with any of the 5,000 sets he had ordered for distribution to his customers, most of whom are in the U.S.A., and for the time being he will only get 500 when they become available. In the later advice from the aforementioned Finance Office employee, he was told that in the future issues will be much larger in order that complete sets will be available to meet all needs.

Mrs. Frederick J. Bauer

WE REGRET to report the sudden death of Mrs. Frederick J. Bauer of Stamford, Conn. on August 28, 1961. She and her husband were members of *The Old King's Highway Stamp Club* and had a wide circle of philatelic friends.

Arthur E. Schaefer

ARTHUR E. SCHAEFER, of Saginaw, Michigan, passed away after a brief illness at Saginaw General Hospital on August 17, 1961. He was 78.

Mr. Schaefer was a prominent stamp collector and was known throughout the country for his philatelic activities. He was a past president of the Penninsular Philatelic Society and the Saginaw Valley Stamp Society. He was a member of the Collectors Club of New York.

Mr. Schaefer was born in Cleveland, Ohio and moved to Saginaw from Midland in 1910. He married Clara Ruffini June 19, 1906, and they celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary this year.

He graduated from the Case School of Technology, Cleveland, in 1904, and obtained his master's degree at the University of Michigan in 1912, retiring four years ago as president and manager of the Saginaw Salt Products Co., now known as the Schaefer Chemical Products Co., which he founded. He traveled extensively in all continents, just recently having returned from the Orient.

Besides his wife he is survived by a son and two daughters, ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; also a sister.

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630	3.50	1.00	.25	.25	943	25	20	.05	.03	943	25	20	.05	.03	1042	20	18	.05	.02	1173	30	24	.07	
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632	2.50	.75	.20	.15	945	25	20	.05	.03	945	25	20	.05	.03	1044	20	18	.05	.02	1175	1.00	45	.12	
633	5.00	1.00	.25	.20	946	25	20	.05	.03	946	25	20	.05	.03	1045	20	18	.05	.02	1176	30	24	.07	
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636	2.50	.75	.20	.15	949	25	20	.05	.03	949	25	20	.05	.03	1048	20	18	.05	.02	1179	30	24	.07	
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681	3.00	.60	.15	.15	957	25	20	.05	.03	957	25	20	.05	.03	1056	20	18	.05	.02	1187	30	24	.07	
682	4.00	.50	.15	.15	958	25	20	.05	.03	958	25	20	.05	.03	1057	20	18	.05	.02	1188	30	24	.07	
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